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In re Application of: Masaaki Fukumoto, et al.)
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Serial No.: 09/744,426)
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Filing Date: January 22, 2001) Examiner Tran, Tuan A.
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For: Wireless Telecommunications Unit Attachable to) Group Art Unit No. 2682
and Detachable from an External Unit)
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RESPONSE TO ELECTION/RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Mail Stop Election/Restrictions
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed November 18, 2004, Applicants elect without
traverse to prosecute Group IB (claims 1-21, 30-42 and 54-65).

Respectfully submitted,

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Sir:

Attached is/are:

- ☒ Response to Election/Restriction Requirement
☒ Return Receipt Postcard

Fee calculation:

- ☒ No additional fee is required.
☐ Small Entity.
☐ An extension fee in an amount of \$_____ for a _____-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).
☐ A petition or processing fee in an amount of \$_____ under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(____).
☐ An additional filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

					Small Entity			Not a Small Entity	
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Add'l Fee	or	Rate	Add'l Fee
Total		Minus			x \$25=			x \$50=	
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First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim					+\$180=			+\$360=	
					Total	\$		Total	\$

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- ☐ A check in the amount of \$_____ is enclosed.
☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. 23-1925 in the amount of \$_____. A copy of this Transmittal is enclosed for this purpose.
☐ Payment by credit card in the amount of \$_____ (Form PTO-2038 is attached).
☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 associated with this paper (including any extension fee required to ensure that this paper is timely filed), or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-1925.

Respectfully submitted,

Date

12/17/2004

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